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Jocelyn G. Boyd, Esquire  
Chief Clerk & Administrator  
Public Service Commission of South Carolina  
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100  
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE: Application of Carolina Water Service, Incorporated for Approval of an Increase  
in Its Rates for Water and Sewer Services  
**Docket No. 2017-292-WS**

Dear Ms. Boyd:

On February 14, 2019, Carolina Water Services, Inc. ("CWS") filed its Petition for Reconsideration. The South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") intends to respond and respectfully requests an extension of the time to respond from 10 days to 15 days. Accordingly, ORS requests until March 1, 2019 to respond to CWS's Petition for Reconsideration.

Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey M. Nelson

cc: All parties of record (via E-mail)